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**DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY
MINISTRY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NOMINATIONS/APPLICATIONS FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR, CDFD, HYDERABAD**

Nominations/Applications are invited for the post of Director on deputation (including short term contract), Centre for DNA Fingerprinting & Diagnostics (CDFD), Hyderabad, an autonomous institute under the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, from Indian citizens including those staying abroad and Non-Resident Indians (NRIs).

The Centre uniquely combines two kinds of activities, the first being those of services in the twin areas of DNA profiling for law-enforcement agencies and diagnostics tests and clinical counseling for genetic disorders, and the second that of cutting-edge basic research in various disciplines of modern biology, in such a way that each supports and in turn is enriched by the other.

The applicants should be below 56 years of age. The post carries HAG Scale of Pay of ₹ 67,000 (annual increment @ 3%) – 79,000/- with usual allowances as per the Govt. of India Rules.

The applicants should be Scientists from Central/State Governments, Research Institutes, Autonomous Bodies, Government funded Research organizations/Institutes etc.

- (i) Holding analogous post on regular basis in the parent Department
or
(ii) 5 years service in post with Grade Pay of ₹ 10,000/- or equivalent in the parent cadre/Department and possess the qualification & experience as below:-

Essential

- (i) Ph.D in any life sciences discipline/M.D. or equivalent
(ii) Minimum 15 years experience of research in the area of organismal, cellular, molecular or systems biology, or biotechnology.
(iii) Excellent track record, hand in publications, patent and awards.

Desirable

- (i) Experience in successfully running large programme, centre, institution
(ii) Experience of guiding research activities in the area of specialization.

The period of deputation including period of deputation in other ex-cadre posts, held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other organization/Department should ordinarily not exceed 5 years. The maximum age limit for appointment on deputation (including short term contract) should not exceed 56 years as on the closing date of receipt of nominations/application.

Complete applications (**5 copies**) strictly as per the format available on DBT website: <http://dbtindia.nic.in> with a passport size photograph fixed at the space shown in the format along with testimonials including list of publications indicating impact factors should be sent to Ms. Preeti Katiyar, Director (Admin), Department of Biotechnology, Room No. 508, Block-3, CGO Complex, Lodi Road, New Delhi-110 003, superscribing the cover "Application for the Post of Director, Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics (CDFD), Hyderabad" so as to reach within 30 days from the date of publication of this advertisement in Employment News. The closing date for candidates residing abroad and from Andaman & Nicobar and Lakshadweep Islands, States/Union Territories in the North-Eastern region, Ladakh region of J&K, Sikkim, Sub-division Chamba and Lahaul and Spiti districts of Himachal Pradesh will be 45 days. The soft copy of the application may also be sent by Email: aipsu.dbt@nic.in; priti.irps@dbt.nic.in and mk.sinha26@nic.in positively.

Nominations by distinguished experts may also be considered, depending upon merit and the area of expertise. Eminent experts and distinguished scientists may also kindly nominate potential candidates for the position either by post or by email.

The detailed advertisement and format of application is available at DBT and CDFD website i.e. <http://dbtindia.nic.in> and www.cdfd.org.in.

